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The Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

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TO: President's Foreign Intelligence
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Per your phone request attached is a copy
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NOTE TO

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20 October 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: William M. Baker
Director, Public Affairs Office

SUBJECT: Arrangements for your Address at the Air Force
Intelligence Conference on Soviet Affairs

1. This is background information for your keynote address at the Air Force Intelligence Conference on Soviet Affairs banquet on 21 October. The banquet will be held at the Sheraton National Hotel, Columbia Pike and Washington Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia. Phone: 521-1900. A business suit will be the civilian dress for the evening. Bill Devine will attend the program.

2. Arrangements for your address at the Air Force Intelligence Conference banquet: The reception will be from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. You and Mrs. Gates are asked to arrive by 7:30 p.m. at the main entrance of the hotel where you will be met by USAF Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Major General C. Norman Wood. (See tab opposite for biography.) General Wood will escort you to the South Ballroom for the reception and for the dinner which will begin at 8:00 p.m. Your address is scheduled for 9:00 p.m. and General Wood will introduce you. The suggested format is 30-45 minutes of remarks and a question and answer period is not planned. You will be seated with the following:

General and Mrs. C. Norman Wood (Elizabeth)

Colonel and Mrs. George Blaine Lotz, II (Lynne)

(Tentatively) Malcolm Mackintosh

(Tentatively) Donald C. Latham

(See tabs opposite for biographies.)

Assistant Chief of Staff,
Air Force Intelligence
Commander, Air Force
Intelligence Agency
International Institute
for Strategic Studies,
London
President, C3I Systems
Division, Lockheed
Missiles and Space Co.

A podium and microphone will be near the head table. Adjournment will be at approximately 10:00 p.m. DCI Security will tape your remarks for the Agency's historical records and the Air Force plans to videotape them for their own internal use.

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3. Audience: You can expect an audience of 300-500 academicians, midlevel representatives from the State Department and FBI; midlevel military officers and civilians from the Department of Defense; and analysts from consulting firms and defense-related industry. Allied officials including the French and Spanish Military Attaches will also be present.

4. Media: At this time, three journalists are registered for the banquet -- George Stein of the LOS ANGELES TIMES, Linda Feldman of the CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, and Narayan Keshavan of the NEW YORK CITY TRIBUNE. The deadline for press registration is 4:30 p.m. just prior to the banquet.

5. Background: The Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence (AFIN) is sponsoring the Air Force Intelligence Conference on Soviet Affairs, titled "The Soviet Union -- Towards the Twenty-First Century: Political-Military Affairs in the Gorbachev Era." The conference is to be an open academic symposium to examine Soviet political-military leadership and their domestic and foreign agendas for the security issues that are likely to confront the USSR through the end of this century.

Twenty-nine panels are planned with about 150 panelists. Agency participants will be NIO Robert Blackwell, NIO Major General Larry D. Budge,

STAT [redacted] The total attendance at the conference is expected to be 800-1000. (See tab opposite for tentative program and list of participants.)
STAT The 1988 conference is a follow-up to the AFIN 1980 conference held in Reston.

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William M. Baker

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Biography

United States Air Force

Secretary of the Air Force, Office of Public Affairs, Washington, D.C. 20330-1000

MAJOR GENERAL C. NORMAN WOOD

Major General C. Norman Wood is the Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.

General Wood was born March 7, 1938, in Dallas, Texas. He received a bachelor's degree in personnel management from the University of Texas in 1960 and a master's degree in public administration from Auburn University in 1974. The general completed Squadron Officer School in 1964, Air Command and Staff College in 1974, and the National War College in 1979. He graduated from the Executive Seminar in National and International Security at Harvard University in 1983.

The general entered the Air Force in August 1960 and received his commission upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, in November 1960. He is the first graduate of the school to become a general officer. He began undergraduate navigator training at James Connally Air Force Base, Texas, where he received his navigator wings in July 1961. He then was assigned to electronic warfare officer school at Keesler Air Force Base, Miss.

In July 1962 he began his flying career with the Strategic Air Command's 55th Strategic Reconnaissance Wing as an electronic warfare officer in RB-47s at Forbes Air Force Base, Kansas. From August to November 1967 he was assigned to Detachment 1, 3rd Air Division, at Yokota Air Base Japan, flying RC-135s. The unit then moved to Kadena Air Base, Okinawa, becoming the 82nd Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron. General Wood was an instructor electronic warfare officer on a crew with the squadron until February 1969. During this time he logged more than 1,000 combat hours in Southeast Asia.

His primary flying duties ended in February 1969, when he was assigned to the 544th Aerospace Reconnaissance Technical Wing at Offutt Air Force Base, Nebraska. In January 1970 he was assigned to SAC headquarters as chief, Current Intelligence Branch, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Intelligence.

In April 1972 he was assigned to Saigon, Republic of Vietnam, as an action officer in the Plans, Training and Management Division, J-2, Headquarters Military Assistance Command, Vietnam. In July 1972, when 7th Air Force headquarters combined with the Military Assistance Command headquarters, General Wood became chief of the Defense Analysis Branch, J-2, Headquarters Military Assistance Command, Vietnam, with dual responsibilities as chief of the Operational Intelligence Division for 7th Air Force headquarters. He was responsible for analysis of surface-to-air missile, anti-aircraft artillery and aircraft threats throughout Southeast Asia as well as the daily current intelligence briefing for the 7th Air Force commander. General Wood also briefed air intelligence at the weekly briefing to the Military Assistance Command-Vietnam commander, the U.S. ambassador to Vietnam, the Vietnamese air force commander, and the Vietnamese joint general staff.

(Current as of May 1988)

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After his tour of duty in the Republic of Vietnam, General Wood completed Air Command and Staff College as a distinguished graduate. He began an Air Staff tour of duty in Washington, D.C., in 1974 as an action officer in the Coordinated Action Plans Division of the Directorate of Doctrine, Concepts and Objectives. In this capacity he co-authored the military potential volume of the Air Staff study "New Horizons II" and was the Air Staff representative to Air Force Systems Command's analysis of the Air Force role in space. In October 1975 he became executive officer in the Office of Air Force History.

General Wood graduated from the National War College in June 1979 and returned to Offutt Air Force Base as deputy commander for operations, 544th Strategic Intelligence Wing. He took command of the wing in May 1980. From October 1981 to June 1982 the general served as assistant deputy chief of staff for Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board, the White House, Washington, D.C. In January 1984 General Wood became deputy director for the National Strategic Target List, Joint Strategic Target Planning Staff, Offutt. He became the deputy assistant chief of staff for intelligence at U.S. Air Force headquarters in May 1985. He was assigned to Headquarters U.S. European Command, Stuttgart, Waihingen, West Germany as the director of Intelligence (J-2) in September 1986 and served in that position until assuming his present duties in May 1988.

The general is a master navigator with 3,400 flying hours and wears the Missile and Presidential Service badges. His military decorations and awards include the Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Superior Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster, Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster, Air Medal with nine oak leaf clusters, Joint Service Commendation Medal and Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters.

He was promoted to major general July 1, 1987, with the same date of rank.

General Wood and his wife, the former Elizabeth Burwell Dillard of Dunnsville, Va., have one daughter, Elizabeth.

COLONEL GEORGE BLAINE LOTZ, II

Colonel George B. Lotz, II, is the Commander, Air Force Intelligence Agency, Fort Belvoir, Virginia, with duty station at the Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

Colonel Lotz was born April 22, 1943, in Reading Pa., where he graduated from Reading High School in 1961. He graduated from The George Washington University, Washington, D.C., with a bachelor's degree in history in June 1965. He earned a master's degree in public administration from Auburn University, Auburn, Ala. and graduated from the Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., in June 1975. He attended the Air War College seminar program and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Fort Leslie J. McNair, Washington, D.C., graduating in June 1980. He also completed the Program for Senior Officials in National Security at Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government in 1988.

Colonel Lotz was commissioned through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps in June 1965 and entered the Air Force in March 1966. His initial assignment was to the 544th Aerospace Reconnaissance Technical Wing at Offutt AFB, Nebraska, as a defensive systems analyst. In June 1967, Colonel Lotz was assigned to Headquarters 7th Air Force, Tan Son Nhut Air Base, Republic of Vietnam, as an indications and warning duty officer. This tour was followed by an assignment to the Pentagon, where he served as an air intelligence officer and, subsequently, as assistant executive to the Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Headquarters, United States Air Force.

After completing Air Command and Staff College, Colonel Lotz was assigned to Headquarters Pacific Command, Camp H. M. Smith, Hawaii. During this tour, he served as intelligence production management officer, plans officer in J-5 (Plans), indications and warning management officer, assistant executive to the J-2 (Intelligence), and as Chief, Special Security Division.

Following graduation from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Colonel Lotz returned to the Pentagon where he served as special assistant to the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence and as the Assistant for Joint Matters, Headquarters U.S. Air Force.

Following this assignment in 1983, he first served as Director of Intelligence Plans, and then as Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Headquarters Strategic Air Command, at Offutt. He was then assigned to the position of Director of Estimates, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, HQ USAF, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. in June 1986. He assumed his present command in April 1987.

The colonel's military awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster.

Colonel Lotz was promoted to colonel October 1, 1983, with the same date of rank.

Colonel Lotz is married to the former Lynne Lariscy of Sylvania, Ga. They have two children: George III (Trip) and Ginny Malia.



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**AIR FORCE INTELLIGENCE
CONFERENCE ON SOVIET AFFAIRS**

ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

19 - 22 OCTOBER 1988

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**THE SOVIET UNION --
TOWARD THE 21st CENTURY:
POLITICAL-MILITARY AFFAIRS
IN THE GORBACHEV ERA**

19 - 22 OCTOBER 1988

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Air Force Intelligence Conference on Soviet Affairs

The 1988 Air Force Conference on Soviet Affairs takes place during a watershed period in Soviet studies, at a time when both Soviet domestic and security policies are in a state of flux. The 30 conference panels, held over a four-day period, will assess the significance of various changes and continuities characteristic of the Gorbachev era. Panelists come from a number of countries and backgrounds and include scholars, policymakers, journalists, and government analysts.

The conference is intended to provide a forum for an open exchange of views among noted experts on important questions of current and future Soviet developments. It will examine the Soviet political-military leadership and its domestic and foreign agendas on security issues likely to confront the USSR through the end of the century, including *perestroika*, the "new thinking," and *glasnost*. It will focus on the effect Gorbachev's policies will have on Soviet defense policy, military doctrine, and relations with the United States.

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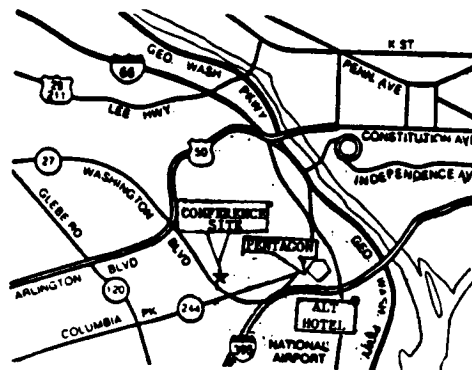
Conference Schedule

Day	Session	Time	Room	Panel Name
Wed 19 Oct	1	2000-2145	Galaxy	Roundtable: Current Themes and Issues in <i>Perestroika</i> (preceded by social hour 1900-2000)
Thu 20 Oct	2	0830-1015	A B	Technology in Soviet Intelligence Trends in Soviet Strategic Forces
	3	1030-1215	A B C	Soviet Objectives in the Arms Control Process <i>Perestroika</i> and the Soviet Military Leadership Soviet Policy in Afghanistan
	4	1400-1545	A B	Civil-Military Relations Under Gorbachev Trends in Soviet Theater Forces
	5	1600-1745	A B	Soviet Special Operations Current Issues in Soviet Command and Control
	6	2000-2145	A B	Soviet National Strategy Under <i>Glasnost</i> and <i>Perestroika</i> The Soviet Threat Assessment Process
Fri 21 Oct	7	0830-1015	A B C	The Soviet Space Program Trends in Soviet Defense Spending Impediments to <i>Perestroika</i>
	8	1030-1215	A B C	Evolving Soviet Military Doctrine The Armed Forces of the Non-Soviet Warsaw Pact States New Thinking in Soviet Foreign Policy
	9	1400-1545	A B C	The KGB, Party and Social Discipline, and Social Dissent Soviet Policy Toward Western Europe The Role of Technology in War: The Soviet View
	10	1600-1745	A B C	Soviet Civil-Military Relations in Transition Soviet Military Manpower Issues Soviet Capabilities for Global Power Projection
	**	2000-2145		Banquet (preceded by social hour 1900-2000)
Sat 22 Oct	11	0900-1045	A B C	Soviet Policy Toward the Third World Technology and the Soviet Weapons Acquisition Process - I: Restructuring the Process Issues in Soviet Military Art
	12	1100-1245	A B C	Developments in the Soviet Machine-Building Sector Technology and the Soviet Weapons Acquisition Process - II: Infrastructure Doctrine, Planning, and Acquisition

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TRANSPORTATION

The conference will be held at the Sheraton-National Hotel. The hotel is located near the juncture of Washington Blvd and Columbia Pike in Arlington, VA, just off I-395, near the Pentagon.



The Sheraton-National conference site is easily accessible by public transportation.

Metrorail/bus:

From National Airport or other points in the Washington D.C. metropolitan area, take the METRORAIL Blue or Yellow line to the Pentagon Station. After exiting at the Pentagon, go upstairs and follow directions outside to buses. Buses #16A, B, C, or D travel down Columbia Pike to the hotel. Bus transfer tickets are available at METRORAIL station entrances. (You must get your transfer ticket when first boarding METRORAIL.)

There is no METRO (RAIL or BUS) from Dulles Airport.

DOD bus:

Individuals with DOD or US Government identification cards can use DOD buses. Buses to the Navy Annex depart from the Pentagon River Entrance (Rt 3) every 15 minutes and from South Parking (Rt 20) every 30 minutes. The hotel is a short walk west on Columbia Pike.

Taxi:

Taxi service is available throughout the Washington D.C. area.

Airport/Hotel Shuttle:

The Sheraton-National Hotel provides free shuttle service from National Airport for guests staying at the hotel. Use the Sheraton-National phone at the airport to arrange for pick-up.

Parking:

Ample parking is available at the hotel. Parking is free for guests staying at the hotel.

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MEALS

- **LUNCHEONS** - Luncheons for registered conference participants are available on Thursday and Friday from 1215 to 1400. Lunch tickets will be distributed with the registration packet given to each conference participant. Meals are served in the South Ballroom, accessible through the hotel lobby, and in the Galaxy Room, located on the 16th floor. For admission to luncheons, conference participants are requested to present their conference badges and lunch tickets.

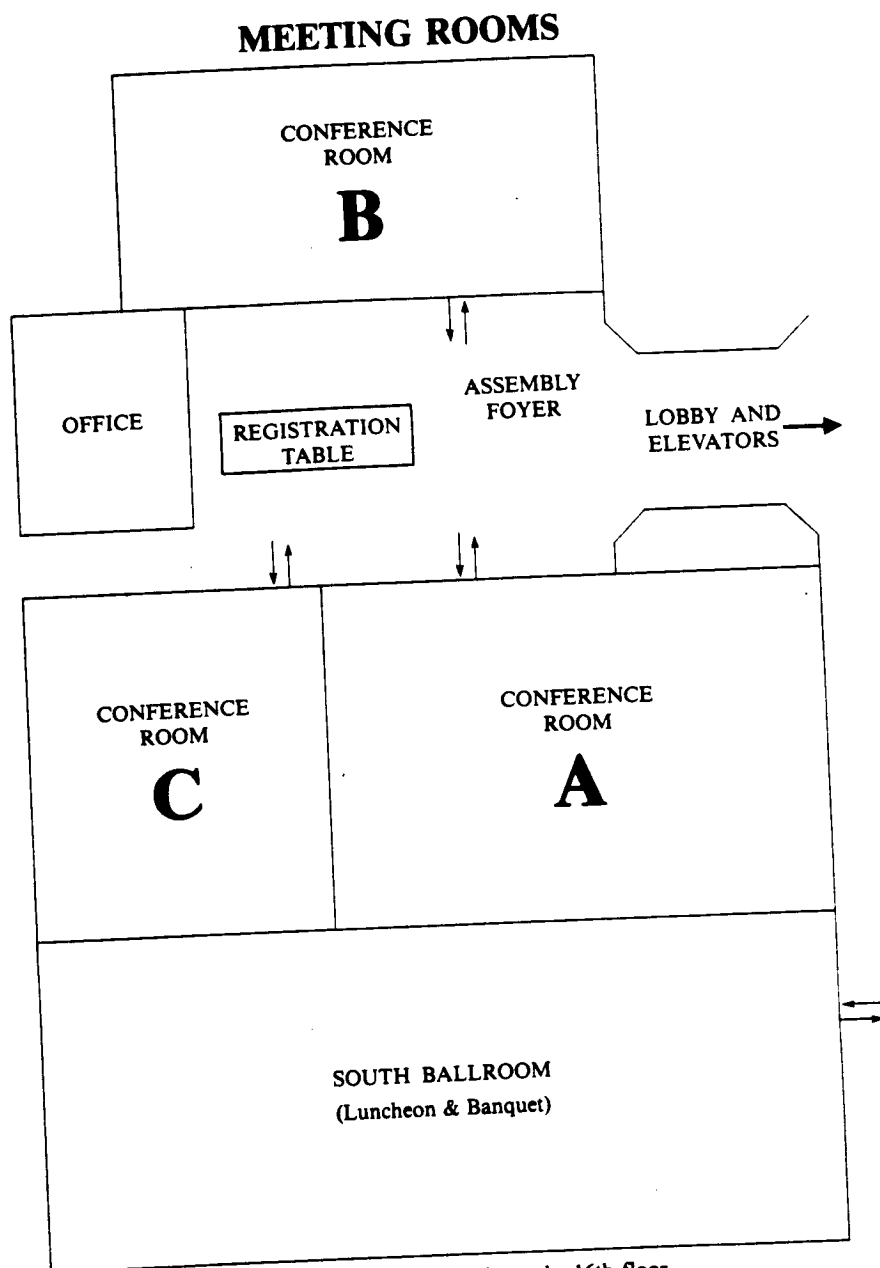
Coffee is available in the assembly foyer during the morning sessions and at the break in the afternoon sessions.

BANQUET - The conference banquet is Friday, 21 October at 2000 in the South Ballroom. Banquet tickets (\$30) must be purchased in advance. The banquet will be preceded by a social hour beginning at 1900. The keynote speaker at the banquet will be announced later.

There are three choices for the banquet entree. Those attending the banquet are requested to state their preference when picking up banquet tickets at the registration table. The hotel requires this information by the close of business, 19 October.

PAPERS

- Copies of papers presented at the conference will not be available except when supplied for distribution by panelists. Requests for papers should be directed to the authors.



Note: The Galaxy Room is on the 16th floor

Program Schedule

Wednesday, Oct 19, 1988

Registration desk hours: 1300-2000

Session 1, 2000-2145

1-Galaxy Roundtable:
Current Themes and Issues in Perestroika

Moderator: Rolf Theen, Purdue University
Jeff Barrie, University of Arizona
John Erickson, University of Edinburgh
Murray Feshbach, Georgetown University
James Thomson, RAND Corporation

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Thursday, Oct 20, 1988

Registration desk hours: 0800-1630

Session 2, 0830-1015

2-A Technology in Soviet Intelligence

Chair: Ray S. Cline, Global Strategy Council, Center for Strategic and International Studies

Discussant: Pierre Lacoste, Foundation pour les etudes de Defense nationale

Papers: "Soviet Imaging Reconnaissance Satellite Capability: Patterns and Prospects"
William Burrows, Department of Journalism, New York University

"Soviet Signals Intelligence (SIGINT)"
Desmond Ball, Strategic and Defense Studies Center, Australian National University

2-B Trends in Soviet Strategic Forces

Chair: ~~Edward L. Waller, RAND~~
~~Raymond Garthoff, Brookings Institute~~

Papers: "Soviet Perceptions of the Strategic Nuclear Balance"
Forrest Waller, OSD/ISP

"The Soviet Strategic Triad Into the 21st Century"
Gregory Varhall, Strategic Air Command, Offutt AFB

"A Comparison of Soviet and American Nuclear Strategies"

L. Sue Hulett, Department of Political Science, Knox College

"Soviet Strategic Offensive and Defensive Forces: Toward the Year 2000"

Mark Kramer, Russian Research Center, Harvard University

Session 3, 1030-1215

3-A **Soviet Objectives in the Arms Control Process**

Chair: Strobe Talbott, TIME Magazine

Papers: "Arms Control In Soviet National Security Policy"
Rob Arnett, Department of the Army
"Gorbachev's Concept of 'Reasonable Sufficiency' in National Defense"
Mary Fitzgerald, Center for Naval Analyses
"Force Reductions in Europe: Soviet Views"
Jonathan Dean, Union of Concerned Scientists
"Soviet Military Doctrine and Arms Control"
Eugenia Osgood, Library of Congress

3-B **Perestroika and the Soviet Military Leadership**

Chair: Richard Woff, Royal Military Academy, Sandhurst

Discussant: Robert E. Berls, National Defense University

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Papers: "Yazov, Akhromeyev, and Lizichev: Guarding Reform in the Military"

Central Intelligence Agency

"Conflict and Consensus in the Soviet Armed Forces"

Rose Gottemoeller, RAND Corporation

"Long-Term Impact of Afghanistan"

Yossef Bodansky, Jane's Defence Weekly

"The Changing of the Guard in Red Square"

Linda Urrutia, Strategic Air Command, Offutt AFB

3-C Soviet Policy in Afghanistan

Chair: J. Bruce Amstutz

Discussant: Alex Alexiev, RAND Corporation

Papers: "2001: Red Star Over Kabul?"

Elie Krakowski, Boston University

"With or Without the Red Army: The Soviet Grip on Afghanistan"

Roseanne Klass, Freedom House

"The Soviet Domestic Impact of the War in Afghanistan"

Sallie Wise, Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty

Session 4, 1400-1545

4-A Civil-Military Relations Under Gorbachev

Chair: Charles F. Elliott, Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies,
George Washington University

Discussant: Robert Blackwell, Central Intelligence Agency

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Papers: "The Marshals Look at Gorbachev"
Dale Herspring, U. S. Department of State
"Toeing the Line: Soviet Military Professionalism Under
Gorbachev"
Kenneth Currie, Air Force Intelligence Agency
"Perestroika and Party-Military Relations"
Roman Kolkowicz, University of California, Los Angeles
"Gorbachev and the Soviet Military"
F. Stephen Larrabee, Vice President & Director of
Security Studies, Institute for East-West Studies

4-B Trends in Soviet Theater Forces
Chair: Edward Luttwak, Center for Strategic and International
Studies
Discussant: ~~Ambassador Lynn Hansen~~ *T. Bausma*, U. S. Department of State
Papers: "Continuing Modernization of Soviet Forces and Concepts
of War"
Joseph Braddock, BDM Corporation
(To be announced)
Charles Dick, Soviet Research Center, Royal Military
Academy, Sandhurst
"Soviet Conception of Theater War in Transition"
Notra Trulock, Pacific-Sierra Research Corporation
"The Implications of Reasonable Sufficiency for Soviet
Ground Force Tactics"
Sally Stoecker, RAND Corporation

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Session 5, 1600-1745

5-A Soviet Special Operations

Chair: Central Intelligence Agency

Discussant: Robert Boyd, Air Force Intelligence Agency

Papers: "Soviet Special Operations: Lessons From Afghanistan"
Alex Alexiev, RAND Corporation

"Soviet Special Operations in Sweden"
Gordon McCormick, RAND Corporation

"Origins of Soviet Special Forces and Operations"
Sergei Zamascikov, RAND Corporation

"*Spetsnaz*: Pieces in What Games?"
Roger Beaumont, Center for Strategic Technology, Texas
A & M University

5-B Current Issues in Soviet Command and Control

Chair: Malcolm Mackintosh, International Institute for Strategic
Studies

Discussant: Donald C. Latham, Vice President, Computer Service
Company

Papers: "NATO and the Changing Soviet Concept of Control for
Theater War"
Philip A. Petersen, OSD ISP and John Hines, Army
Intelligence Agency

"Soviet Command and Control: Strategic and Operational
Perspectives"
Stephen Cimbala, Pennsylvania State University

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Session 6, 2000-2145

6-A Soviet National Strategy Under *Glasnost* and *Perestroika*

Chair: G. Murphy Donovan, Air Force Intelligence Agency

Discussant: Rose Gottemoeller, RAND Corporation

Papers: "Gorbachev's Strategic Concepts"
Robert Baraz, Bureau of Intelligence and Research,
Department of State

~~"Gorbachev's Program of Perestroika and Defense"~~
~~Valentin Litvin, Defense Language Institute~~

"New Soviet Strategic Thinking"
Michael McGwire, Brookings Institution

"Changing Soviet Perceptions of the Threat: From
Foreign to Domestic"
Stanley Kober, Arlington, Virginia

6-B The Soviet Threat Assessment Process

Chair: John Erickson, Defence Studies, University of Edinburgh

Discussant: Andrew Marshall, Director, OSD/Net Assessments

Papers: "Threat Analysis From a Soviet Perspective: Some Issues
and Sensitivities"
John Battilega and Judith Grange, Science Applications
Incorporated

"Foresight, Forecasting, and Future War in Soviet
Military Science: 1954-1988"
Jacob Kipp, Soviet Army Studies Office

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Registration desk hours: 0800-1630

Session 7, 0830-1015

7-A The Soviet Space Program

Chair: John Fabian, Vice President, ANSER Corporation

Discussant: Sally K. Ride, Center for International Security and Arms Control, Stanford University

Papers: "Soviet Space Activities: Are They Ahead?"
 Marcia Smith, Congressional Research Service
 "The Soviet Space Program: Shortcomings and Successes"
 Kathy Sawyer, Washington Post
 ~~"The Soviet Military Space Program"~~
 ~~Phillip Kunschberg, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary of~~
 ~~Defense for Policy, Director, Space Policy~~

7-B Trends in Soviet Defense Spending

Chair: Abe Becker, RAND Corporation

Papers: (To be announced)
 Richard Kaufmann, Joint Economic Committee
 "The Soviet Military Budget: Past and Present"
 David Jones and Murray Trott, Dalhousie University
 "Arms Control: A Panacea for Soviet Economic Problems?"

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"The Burden of Soviet Defense Spending: Changing Perceptions"

John Hardt, Congressional Research Service

7-C **Impediments to *Perestroika***

Chair: Stanley Kober

Discussant: ~~Jeff Barrie, University of Arizona~~ *Menges, Constantine*

Papers: "Perestroika in the Light of Soviet and Russian History"
Sherman W. Garnett, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Policy

"Civic and National Awareness in the Western USSR"
Kathy Mihalisko, Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty

"Perestroika and the High Command"
 Defense Intelligence Agency

~~"Conceptual Barriers to Perestroika: The 'Enemy' Image"~~
~~Walter Parchomenko, Air Force Intelligence Agency~~

Wm. V. Kennedy "Soviet and Western Perceptions of the Threat"

Session 8, 1030-1215

8-A **Evolving Soviet Military Doctrine**

Chair: Edward L. Warner, III, RAND Corporation

Papers: "Ferment in Soviet Strategic Thinking: The Dimension of Military Doctrine"

Charles Duch, Air Force Intelligence Agency

"Image and Reality in Soviet Military Doctrine Under Gorbachev"

Benjamin S. Lambeth, RAND Corporation

"Soviet Doctrine and Reasonable Sufficiency"

Jamie McConnell, ~~Center for Naval Analyses~~

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"The Soviet Union's New Military Doctrine"
Robert O'Connell and James McKay, ~~Soviet Army Studies~~
~~Office~~ *FSTC*

8-B The Armed Forces of the Non-Soviet Warsaw Pact States

Chair: Stephen Fischer-Gala i, Department of History,
University of Colorado

Discussant: Daniel Nelson, Department of Political Science,
University of Kentucky

Papers: (To be announced)
Christopher Jones, Henry M. Jackson School of
International Studies, University of Washington
"The Changing Role of Non-Soviet Warsaw Pact Forces in
Soviet Military Planning"
Ross Johnson, RAND Corporation
"Implications of the 'New Thinking' for NSWP Defense
Sectors"
 Defense Intelligence Agency

8-C New Thinking in Soviet Foreign Policy

Chair: Francis Fukuyama, RAND Corporation

Discussant: Robert Baraz, State Department, Bureau of Intelligence
and Research

Papers: "De-Ideologization of Foreign Policy: Gorbachev's Secular
Humanism"
Sylvia Woodby, Foreign Service Institute
"Soviet Perspectives on Low-Intensity Conflict: An
Agenda for Research"
Steve Blank, Air University
"Moscow-Seoul Relations in a New Era"
Roy Kim, Drexel University

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Session 9, 1400-1545

9-A The KGB, Party and Social Discipline, and Social Dissent

Chair: Peter Reddaway, Kennan Institute, Wilson Center

Discussant: Darrell P. Hammer, Department of Political Science,
Indiana University

Papers: "Gorbachev and the KGB"
Igor Belousovich, Bureau of Intelligence and Research,
Department of State

"Dissent and the Soviet Populace"
Ludmilla Alexeeva, Kennan Institute, Wilson Center

"The KGB and Soviet Reform"
Amy Knight, Library of Congress

9-B Soviet Policy Toward Western Europe

Chair: James Thomson, RAND Corporation

Discussant: Ty Cobb, National Security Council

Papers: "Soviet Policy Toward Western Europe Under Gorbachev:
What's New and What's Not?"
John Van Oudenaren, RAND Corporation

"Soviet Strategy Toward Western Europe: Implications
for the Post-INF Environment"

~~Robbin F. Laird~~, Institute for Defense Analyses

Susan Clark

9-C The Role of Technology in War: The Soviet View

Chair: Central Intelligence Agency

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Discussant: Sergei Sikorsky, United Technologies

Papers: "The Effect of Wartime Operability Requirements on
Soviet Aircraft Design"
Richard Ward and Reuben Johnson, General Dynamics
"Technology and Recovery From a Limited Nuclear
Attack: A Case Study of Minsk"
William Kelly, Batelle Corporation
"Conventional Force Modernization and Operational Art"
Jacob Kipp, Soviet Army Studies Office

Session 10, 1600-1745

10-A Soviet Civil-Military Relations in Transition

Chair: Jeremy Azrael, RAND Corporation

Discussant: Steve F. Kime, United States Naval Academy

Papers: "Civilian Leadership and the Military High Command"
Jeremy Azrael, RAND Corporation
"The Soviet Military Leadership and the Question of
Soviet External Retreats"
Harry Gelman, RAND Corporation
"The Soviet Defense Budget and Party-Military Conflict"
Abe Becker, RAND Corporation

10-B Soviet Military Manpower Issues

Chair: Murray Feshbach, Goergetown University

Discussant: Martha B. Olcott, Colgate University

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Papers: Paul Goble, Bureau of Intelligence and Research,
Department of State
"Demographics and the Military Balance: The Soviet
Factor"
Susan Clark, Institute for Defense Analyses
"The Economic Cost of Soviet Military Manpower
Requirements"
Steve Popper, RAND Corporation
~~Do Henry~~
~~(To be announced)~~
~~Helene Carrere d'Encausse, Institut d'etudes Politiques~~
~~de Paris~~

10-C Soviet Capabilities for Global Power Projection

Chair: Maj Gen Larry D. Budge, National Intelligence Officer,
General Purpose Forces

Discussant: Vernon Aspaturian, Center for Slavic and Soviet
Languages and Area Studies, Pennsylvania State
University

Papers: "Soviet Constraints in the Third World: The Military
Dimension"
Melvin Goodman, National War College
"Soviet Naval Developments Under Gorbachev: Trends
and Perspectives"
Alexander Greenberg, PSC Corporation
"Evolution of the Brezhnev Doctrine Under Gorbachev"
Mark Katz, George Mason University
"The War of Manipulation: Soviet Capabilities for
Indirect Conflict Today"
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Keynote Speaker: To be announced

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Saturday, Oct 22, 1988

Session 11, 0900-1045

11-A / Soviet Policy Toward the Third World

Chair: Alvin Z. Rubinstein, Department of Political Science,
University of Pennsylvania

Discussant: Donald S. Zagoria, City College

Papers: "Soviet Policies Toward Latin America and the Caribbean
Under Gorbachev"
Daniel S. Papp, Georgia Institute of Technology
"Civil-Military Relations and the Third World"
Francis Fukuyama, RAND Corporation
"Soviet Policy Toward the Post-War Gulf"
Oles Smolanski, Lehigh University

**11-B Technology and the Soviet Weapons Acquisition
Process I: Restructuring the Process**

Chair: Gordon Negus, Defense Intelligence Agency

Discussant: Seymour Goodman, University of Arizona

Papers: "Procedures for Soviet Defense Industry: Impact on
Weapons Procurement"
Julian Cooper, University of Birmingham
"Soviet Weapons Acquisition in the Period of New
Economic Policies"
Arthur Alexander, RAND Corporation

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11-C Issues in Soviet Military Art

Chair: Notra Trulock, Pacific-Sierra Research Corporation

Papers: "Personal Observations on the Soviet Armed Forces"
Timothy Thomas, United States Army

"Impact of Advanced Technology on Soviet Air-to-Air
Tactics"

Shmuel Gordon, RAND Corporation

"Trends in Soviet Aviation"

[] Defense Intelligence Agency

"Origin and Impetus for Development of Soviet
Radioelectronic Combat"

R. Hyland Phillips, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

"Soviet *Maskirovka*"

Charles Smith, Texas A & M University

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Session 12, 1100-1245

12-A Developments in the Soviet Machine-Building Sector

Chair: [] Defense Intelligence Agency

Discussant: [] Defense Intelligence Agency

Papers: "Impact of Technical Shortcomings on Soviet Military
Industries"

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"Soviet Defense Industrial Performance Under
Gorbachev"

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"The Soviet Machine-Building Complex: The Sputtering
Engine of *Perestroika*"

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"Soviet Defense Industry: Expanded Role In Re-equipping Civil Industry"

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12-B Technology and the Soviet Weapons Acquisition Process II: Infrastructure

Chair: Gordon Negus, Defense Intelligence Agency

Discussant: Seymour Goodman, University of Arizona

Papers: "Accelerating Critical Technologies: The Soviet MNTK"
Sharon Leiter, Foreign Services and Technology Center

"US/USSR Science and Technology, *Perestroika*, and the Future Correlation of Forces"

Frank M. Machovec, Wofford College

"The Geography of Soviet Aerospace Education"

Mason Soule and Jyl Snyder, Battelle Corporation

"The YeSKD and Weapons System Management Practices in Individual Soviet Defense Industrial Ministries"

Hugh Shaffer, Battelle Corporation

12-C Doctrine, Planning, and Acquisition

Chair: William Green, Boston University

Discussant: David B. Rivkin, Office of the Vice President

Papers: "Soviet Military Doctrine: Continuity or Change?"
William F. Scott

"Soviet Military Doctrine and Force Structure"

Daniel Goure, Director of Soviet Studies, SRS Technology

"Testing the Limits: The 'New Thinking' and Military Opposition"

Thomas Nichols, Georgetown University

"Soviet Military Reference Works as a Key to Doctrine"

William Green, Boston University

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AIR FORCE CONFERENCE ON SOVIET AFFAIRS

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 - Anticipate approximately 800-1000 total participants
- Intended to bring together experts on Soviet military-political affairs from government, industry, academia, and the private sector
 - Conference occurs during a very dynamic period in Soviet affairs, particularly in wake of recent leadership changes bolstering Gorbachev's position
- Conference opens with roundtable discussion on evening of 19 Oct
 - Leading experts on USSR will discuss current general topics in Soviet affairs
- Conference agenda includes 29 panels on subjects ranging from trends in strategic forces to doctrinal developments
 - Panels divided among 11 sessions held during 20-22 Oct
 - Panel chairpersons/discussants are prominent authorities on Soviet affairs
 - Each panel includes 3-4 papers presented by scholars/students/experts
 - Several CIA analysts will present papers at the conference
- Banquet occurs evening of 21 Oct
 - Keynote address will be highlight
 - Anticipate 300-500 attendees

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
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6 Oct 88

Dr Robert Gates
Deputy Director
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VERY RESPECTFULLY,


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BILLY J. BINGHAM, Colonel, USAF
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Conference Schedule

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**THE SOVIET UNION --
TOWARD THE 21st CENTURY:
POLITICAL-MILITARY AFFAIRS
IN THE GORBACHEV ERA**

19 - 22 OCTOBER 1988

**SHERATON - NATIONAL HOTEL
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA**

Air Force Intelligence Conference on Soviet Affairs

The Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence (AFIN) is sponsoring a conference "The Soviet Union -- Towards the Twenty-First Century: Political-Military Affairs in the Gorbachev Era." The conference will be held 19 - 22 October at the Sheraton-National Hotel in Arlington, Virginia and will be a follow-up to the AFIN sponsored conference held in Reston, Virginia in October 1980, which attracted nearly 1000 participants.

The 1988 conference will examine Soviet political-military leadership and its domestic and foreign agendas on security issues likely to confront the USSR through the end of the century, including *perestroika*, the "new thinking," and *glasnost*. It will focus on the effect that Gorbachev's policies will have on Soviet defense policy, military doctrine, and relations with the United States. This will be a forum for experts on the Soviet Union from varied backgrounds, including scholars, policymakers, and government analysts.

The following is a partial list of panel participants:

Arthur Alexander	Kenneth Currie	Richard Kaufmann	William Odom
Ludmilla Alexeeva	G. Murphy Donovan	Keith Keener	Martha Olcott
Alex Alexiev	Charles Duch	William Kelly	Eugenia Osgood
J. Bruce Amstutz	John Erickson	Steve Kime	Daniel Papp
Rob Arnett	John Fabian	Jacob Kipp	Walter Parchomenko
Vernon Aspaturian	Murray Feshbach	Roseanne Klass	Philip Peterson
Jeremy Azrael	Stephan Fischer-Galati	Amy Knight	Peter Reddaway
Desmond Ball	Mary Fitzgerald	Stanley Kober	Sally Ride
Zoltan Barany	Francis Fukuyama	Roman Kolkowicz	Alvin Rubinstein
Robert Baraz	Sherman Garnett	Elie Krakowski	Kathy Sawyer
John Battillega	Raymond Garthoff	Robbin Laird	William Scott
Roger Beaumont	Harry Gelman	Benjamin Lambeth	Sergei Sikorski
Abe Becker	Paul Goble	F. Stephan Larrabee	George Simmonds
Igor Belousovich	Melvin Goodman	Donald Latham	Marsha Smith
Robert Berls	Seymour Goodman	John Lenczowski	Oles Smolanski
Robert Blackwell	Rose Gottemueller	Valentin Litvin	Richard Stilwell
David Blee	William Green	Edward Luttwak	Sally Stroecker
Robert Boyd	Lynn Hansen	Frank Machovec	Strobe Talbott
Joseph Braddock	Darrell Hammer	Malcolm Mackintosh	Rolf Theen
Larry D. Budge	Dale Herspring	Andrew Marshall	James Thomson
William Burrows	John Hines	Eliot Marshall	Notra Trulock
Helene Carrere- d'Encausse	Sue Hullet	Jamie McConnell	Greg Varhall
Susan Clark	Carl Jacobsen	Gordon McCormick	William Van Cleave
Ray Cline	Ross Johnson	Michael McGwire	Jan Van Oudenaren
Ty Cobb	Christopher Jones	Norb Michaud	Richard Woff
Stephen Cimbala	David Jones	Kathy Mihalisko	Donald Zagoria
Julian Cooper	Ellen Jones	Daniel Nelson	

DAY	PANEL
Wed	Roundtable: Current Themes and Issues in <i>Perestroika</i>
	Trends in Soviet Strategic Forces Technology in Soviet Intelligence <i>Perestroika</i> and the Soviet Military Leadership Soviet Objectives in the Arms Control Process Soviet Policy in Afghanistan
Thu	Civil-Military Relations Under Gorbachev Trends in Tactical Forces Special Operations Current Issues in Soviet Command and Control National Strategy, <i>Glasnost</i> , and <i>Perestroika</i> The Soviet Threat Assessment Process
	Trends in Soviet Defense Spending The Soviet Space Program Impediments to <i>Perestroika</i> The Armed Forces of the Non-Soviet Warsaw Pact States Evolving Soviet Military Doctrine Soviet Policy Toward Western Europe
Fri	The KGB, Party and Social Discipline, and Social Dissent The Role of Technology in War: The Soviet View Soviet Military Manpower Issues Soviet Global Power Projection Capabilities Civil-Military Relations in Transition <i>Banquet -- Keynote Speaker</i>
Sat	Soviet Policy Toward Third World Technology and the Weapons Acquisition Process Developments in the Soviet Machine Building Sector Doctrine, Planning, and Acquisition

Registration tables will be open:

19 October -- 1300-2000

20 & 21 October -- 0800-1630

For information on registration, see back of flyer. For more information, contact the conference organizers at the address below:

**Conference on Soviet Affairs
AFIS/ INIS
The Pentagon
Washington, DC 20330-5110**

Registration fees include luncheons on 20 & 21 Oct:

- \$45 before 30 September 1988
- \$55 after 30 September 1988
- plus
- \$30 for conference banquet
with keynote address
on 21 October 1988 (optional)

(Note: Banquet seating is limited)

Please use enclosed registration card

**A special conference room rate is available
at the Sheraton-National Hotel:**

\$71.00 / night - single

\$88.00 / night - double

Price includes hotel parking and shuttle service to/from National Airport.

**A hotline for room reservations has been set up
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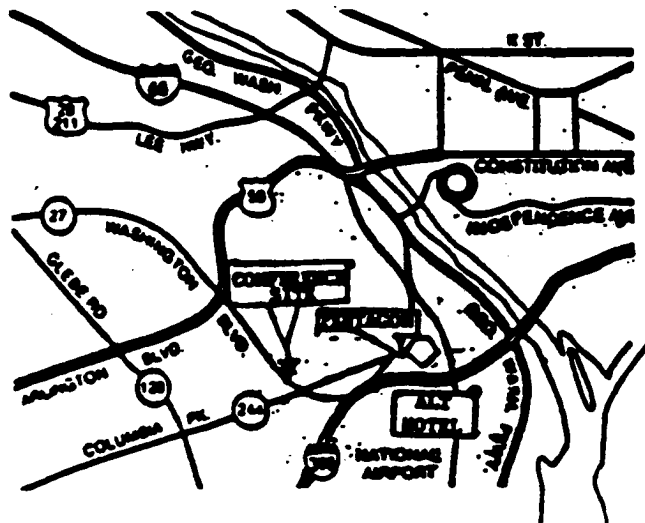
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*The conference will be
held at the Sheraton-
National Hotel. The
hotel is located near the
junction of Washington
Blvd and Columbia Pike
in Arlington, VA, just off
I-395, near the Pentagon.*



Conference Schedule

Day	Session	Time	Room	Panel Name
Wed 19 Oct	1	1930-2145		Roundtable: Current Themes and Issues in <i>Perestroika</i>
Thu 20 Oct	2	0830-1015	A	Technology in Soviet Intelligence
			B	Trends in Soviet Strategic Forces
	3	1030-1215	A	Soviet Objectives in the Arms Control Process
			B	<i>Perestroika</i> and the Soviet Military Leadership
			C	Soviet Policy in Afghanistan
	4	1400-1545	A	Civil-Military Relations Under Gorbachev
			B	Trends in Soviet Theater Forces
	5	1600-1745	A	Special Operations
			B	Current Issues in Soviet Command and Control
	6	2000-2145	A	Soviet National Strategy Under <i>Glasnost</i> and <i>Perestroika</i>
			B	The Soviet Threat Assessment Process
Fri 21 Oct	7	0830-1015	A	The Soviet Space Program
			B	Trends in Soviet Defense Spending
			C	Impediments to <i>Perestroika</i>
	8	1030-1215	A	The Armed Forces of the Non-Soviet Warsaw Pact States
			B	Evolving Soviet Military Doctrine
			C	New Thinking in Soviet Foreign Policy
	9	1400-1545	A	The KGB, Party and Social Discipline, and Social Dissent
			B	Soviet Policy Toward Western Europe
			C	The Role of Technology in War: The Soviet View
	10	1600-1745	A	Soviet Civil-Military Relations in Transition
			B	Soviet Military Manpower Issues
			C	Soviet Capabilities for Global Power Projection
	**	2000-2145		Banquet -- Keynote Speaker
Sat 22 Oct	11	0900-1045	A	Soviet Policy Toward Third World
			B	Technology and the Soviet Weapons Acquisition Process - I: Restructuring the Process
			C	Issues in the Soviet Art of War
	12	1100-1245	A	Developments in the Soviet Machine Building Sector
			B	Technology and the Soviet Weapons Acquisition Process - II: Infrastructure
			C	Doctrine, Planning, and Acquisition